Expedited Summary Disposition Track - 2007

Cumulative Statistics Covering 3, 6, 9 and 12 Months

	Jan Thru Mar	Jan Thru Jun	Jan Thru Sep	Jan Thru Dec
SD Type Appeals Filed in '07	375			
SD Type Appeals Filed in '06	404	836	1249	1664
SD Type Appeals Filed in '05	421	860	1297	1769
SD Type Appeals Filed in '04	332	690	1067	1476

Placed On SD Track in 2007			
Total	322		
Appeals by Right (On Track)	172	58.3%	
Appeals by Leave (Eligible for Track)	123	41.7%	
Unspecified (Pending Review)	27		
Motions to Remove			
Filed in 2007	21		
Crantad in 2007	16	0.4.007	

 Granted in 2007
 16
 84.2%

 Denied in 2007
 3
 15.8%

 Administrative Removals in 2007
 6

Transcripts Cases with New TR Orders 174 Cases with New TR Waivers 0 Cases with No Record 9 % TRs Timely Filed in 2007 96.0%

Motions to Extend Briefing			
Filed in 2007	66		
Granted in 2007	55	93.2%	
Denied in 2007	4	6.8%	

Appellant & Cross-Appellant Briefs
Filed in 2007 189
Timely 168 88.9%
Average Page Count 17.8
Reply Briefs Filed in 2007 109

As of May 7, 2007, the expedited track for appeals from summary disposition orders was discontinued by order of the Michigan Supreme Court. See Admin Order 2007-2.

The track was discontinued at the request of the Court of Appeals because, "[w]hile parties generally have been able to meet the stricter briefing requirements under the program, the court's serious budget constraints have prevented it from meeting the expedited timelines, which the court believes places practitioners at a disadvantage. Rather than continue to be unable to comply with the time requirements of the expedited summary disposition track, the court believes it is more advisable to suspend the operation of the expedited track indefinitely." AO 2007-2, Staff Comment.

Appellee & Cross-Appellee Briefs

Filed in 2007	231	
Timely	204	88.3%
Average Page Count	18.8	

Post Briefing

Cases Submitted on Call in 2007	213	
Summary Panel (no OA)	95	44.6%
Regular Panel	118	55.4%

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Opinions Issued in 2007		
Total Opinions	234	
Published Authored	20	8.5%
Published Per Curiam	11	4.7%
Unpublished Per Curiam	199	85.0%
Unpublished Memo	4	1.7%
Opinions In 180 Days	9.0%	
Opinions In 190 Days	14.7%	

Orders Issued in 2007 (Dispositive)

Total Dispositive Orders 184
Orders In 180 Days 79.3%

For appeals from SD orders in 2004, claims = 63.8%; applications = 36.2%. In 2005, claims = 62%; applications = 38%. In 2006, claims = 61%; applications = 39%.

Note that totals may not match between all categories. This will be due, in part, to the fact that applications for leave are flagged for general tracking purposes, but transcripts and briefs are not usually docketed in such cass unless and until leave is granted.

This report reflects some cases and/or motions that were filed in 2006 but not submitted or disposed until 2007.